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Applicant(s) : DUMOUTIER, et al.
Serial No. : 09/626,617
Filed : July 27, 2000
For : ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES WHICH ENCODE T-CELL
INDUCIBLE FACTORS, OR INTELEUKIN-21, THE PROTEINS
ENCODED, AND USES THEREOF
Art Unit : 1644
Examiner : A. Decloux

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Sir:

Responsive to the final rejection of December 26, 2001, and the advisory action of April 17,
please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-12 without prejudice.

Add claims 22-32 which follow.